# BEARFACTS 1996 – 2006 Hettinger , North Dakota [38041]

Hettinger is one of 53 counties in North Dakota. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 2006 population of 2,481 ranked 38th in the state.

### PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2006 Hettinger had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$24,835. This PCPI ranked 43rd in the state and was 76 percent of the state average, \$32,763, and 68 percent of the national average, \$36,714. The 2006 PCPI reflected a decrease of 16.6 percent from 2005. The 2005-2006 state change was 2.8 percent and the national change was 5.6 percent. In 1996 the PCPI of Hettinger was \$24,458 and ranked 6th in the state. The 1996-2006 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 0.2 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.5 percent and for the nation was 4.3 percent.

#### TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 2006 Hettinger had a total personal income (TPI) of \$61,616\*. This TPI ranked 42nd in the state and accounted for 0.3 percent of the state total. In 1996 the TPI of Hettinger was \$71,541\* and ranked 35th in the state. The 2006 TPI reflected a decrease of 16.9 percent from 2005. The 2005-2006 state change was 3.0 percent and the national change was 6.7 percent. The 1996-2006 average annual growth rate of TPI was - 1.5 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.3 percent and for the nation was 5.4 percent.

## COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Hettinger. In 2006 net earnings accounted for 41.9 percent of TPI (compared with 61.0 in 1996); dividends, interest, and rent were 27.5 percent (compared with 21.1 in 1996); and personal current transfer receipts were 30.7 percent (compared with 17.8 in 1996). From 2005 to 2006 net earnings decreased 37.1 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 6.1 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 9.9 percent. From 1996 to 2006 net earnings decreased on average 5.1 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 1.1 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 4.0 percent.

#### EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Hettinger decreased from \$42,551\* in 2005 to \$27,142\* in 2006, a decrease of 36.2 percent. The 2005-2006 state change was 2.0 percent and the national change was 5.7 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1996 estimate of \$45,473\* to the 2006 estimate was - 5.0 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.5 percent and for the nation was 5.5 percent.

\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.

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